

C₃₋₁₂ branched chain olefinic substituted by hydroxy, acyloxy or halo.

19. A compound as recited in claim 16, wherein R₁ and R₂ are the same or different and are selected from the group consisting of:

C₁₋₁₂ straight chain alkyl substituted by acyloxy,
C₂₋₁₂ straight chain alkyl substituted by hydroxy,
C₃₋₁₂ branched chain alkyl substituted by hydroxy or acyloxy,
C₃₋₁₂ straight chain olefinic substituted by hydroxy or acyloxy, and
C₃₋₁₂ branched chain olefinic substituted by hydroxy or acyloxy.

20. A compound as recited in claim 16, wherein R₁ and R₂ are the same or different and are selected from the group consisting of:

C₂₋₁₂ straight chain alkyl substituted by halo,
C₃₋₁₂ branched chain alkyl substituted by halo,
C₃₋₁₂ straight chain olefinic substituted by halo, and
C₃₋₁₂ branched chain olefinic substituted by halo.

21. A compound as recited in claim 16, wherein R₃ is selected from the group consisting of

C₁₋₁₂ straight chain alkyl substituted by hydroxy, alkoxy, acyloxy or halo,
C₃₋₁₂ branched chain alkyl substituted by hydroxy, alkoxy, acyloxy or halo,
C₂₋₁₂ straight chain olefinic,

C₂₋₁₂ straight chain olefinic substituted by hydroxy, alkoxy, acyloxy or halo,

C₃₋₁₂ branched chain olefinic,

C₃₋₁₂ branched chain olefinic substituted by hydroxy, alkoxy, acyloxy or halo, and
a sulfonyl derivative.

22. A compound as recited in claim 16, wherein said compound is:

1-(2-hydroxypropoxy)-2-oxo-3,3-diethyl-1-triazene,
1-(2-bromoethoxy)-2-oxo-3,3-diethyl-1-triazene,
1-(methoxymethyleneoxy)-2-oxo-3,3-diethyl-1-triazene,
1-(2-hydroxyethoxy)-2-oxo-3,3-diethyl-1-triazene,
1-methoxy-2-oxo-3-isopropyl-3-allyl-1-triazene,
1-methoxy-2-oxo-3-methyl-3-(2-hydroxypropyl)-1-triazene,
1,3-bis(3,3-diethyl-2-oxo-1-triazene-1-yloxy)propane,
1,2-bis(3,3-diethyl-2-oxo-1-triazene-1-yloxy)ethane,
1-vinyloxy-2-oxo-3,3-diethyl-1-triazene, or
1-dimethylaminosulfonyloxy-2-oxo-3,3-diethyl-1-triazene.

23. A compound as recited in claim 22, wherein said compound is 1-vinyloxy-2-oxo-3,3-diethyl-1-triazene.

24. The method of claim 8, wherein said compound is 1-vinyloxy-2-oxo-3,3-diethyl-1-triazene.

25. The method of claim 13, wherein said compound is 1-vinyloxy-2-oxo-3,3-diethyl-1-triazene.

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